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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION WITH AMENDMENT

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following amendments and remarks are being submitted herewith pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.116 in response to the Office Action of January 10, 2006, in a bona fide effort to place this application in condition for allowance. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims appear on page 2 of this paper.